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In re Application of  
Richard A. Samsel :  
Application No. 10/765,404 : DECISION ON  
Filed: January 26, 2004 : PETITION  
Attorney Docket No. 5031-198CT :  
:

This is in response to the petition to revive under  
37 CFR 1.137(b), filed April 5, 2007.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to timely file a reply to the non-final Office action mailed May 16, 2006. This Office action set an extendable period for reply of three (3) months. No reply having been received, the application became abandoned on August 17, 2006. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on December 14, 2006. Applicant filed a petition to withdraw the holding of abandonment on January 8, 2007. However, the petition was dismissed in a decision mailed on March 26, 2007.

With the instant petition, applicant has paid the petition fee, submitted the required reply in the form of an Amendment, and made the proper statement of unintentional delay.

The petition fee of \$1,500 has been charged to Deposit Account No. 50-0220, as authorized.

The matter is being forwarded to Group Art Unit 3677 for consideration of the Amendment, filed April 5, 2007.

Telephone inquiries related to this decision should be directed to the undersigned at 571-272-3207.

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